Application No.: 09/772,539 Docket No.: HO-P02540US0

Remarks

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated October 28, 2003 for Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment. In the previous amendment claims 29-40 were listed as (Withdrawn), but did not set forth all of the claim language. Only the corrected section of the non-compliant amendment document must be resubmitted (in its entirety) pursuant to 37 CFR 1.121(h). As such, the entire "AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS" section is resubmitted.

In view of the above, each of the presently pending claims in this application is believed to be in immediate condition for allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 06-2375, under Order No. HO-P02540US0 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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